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## A BARBER'S OPINION.

Nature the Only Hair Restorer—Smooth Faces and Bald Heads.

From the New York Sun.

A barber, whose shop in Broadway has been a landmark for more than a quarter of a century, said as he plied his razor deftly yesterday:

"No, sir; there is absolutely no preparation that will force the hair to grow upon the face or head. Nature is the only beard or hair restorative that you can rely on. If she doesn't give you a healthy growth of beard and hair, you might as well be contented. Have I seen the advertisement of a tonic for the hair and mustache which shows the bare face of the man who had used it and the overburdened face of the man who had? Why of course I have, and a thousand more like it. There's a great deal of money, too, spent on that kind of tomfoolery, I've stood behind a barber's chair, man and lad, for many a year, and I don't believe any man knows more about the beard or the hair than I do. I say that the only thing to be done for the beard is to begin to shave early. The razor, sir, is the only helper for the beard. Cutting the hair early in life, too, makes it strong. Mothers who are vain of their darling's curls, and keep them dangling about the darling's overheated head until he is ashamed of wearing them, don't know how much they're to blame for his early baldness. As soon as a young man gets to be of age, or thereabout, he ought to leave off shaving his upper lip if he wants to have a moustache only, or his whole face if his aim is to get a beard."

Butte County Diamonds.

From the Oroville Mercury.

It may not be generally known that there is a diamond field in Butte county, yet such is the case. It is located in the vicinity of Cherokee. During the past fifteen years five diamonds, valued at \$375, have been found and utilized. Last Saturday Frank Morse of Grass Valley, purchased one, picked up in the field a week or so prior, for \$40. His first impression was that he had been "sold," but upon taking it to Mr. Howard that gentleman pronounced the stone a genuine diamond, and valued at \$30. Mr. Morse didn't want to sell, so the gem was sent to a San Francisco firm to be cut and mounted. They were asked to state its value. Monday a reply was received by Mr. Howard offering \$60 for the article, and stating that it would cost so much to have it cut and mounted that they couldn't pay any more for it. Mr. Morse had the stone returned to Mr. Howard who will send it to New York, that being the only place in this country where the work can be executed. We believe there is quite a deposit of these gems near Cherokee, and think some experienced party might make a good raise by prospecting for them.

A Good Use for Old Cans.

From the Scientific American.

Perhaps one of the most appropriate uses of an old fruit can that can be devised, is to make it contribute to the growth of new fruit to fill new cans. This is done in the following manner: The can is pierced with one or more pin holes and then sunk in the earth near the roots of the strawberry, tomato or other plants. The pin holes are to be of such size, that when the can is filled with water, the fluid can only escape into the ground very slowly. Thus, a quart can, properly arranged, will extend its irrigation to a plant through a period of several days; the can is then refilled. Practical trials of this method of irrigation leave no doubt of its success. Plants thus watered, flourish and yield the most bounteous returns throughout the longest droughts. In warm localities where water is scarce, the planting of old fruit cans as here indicated, will be found profitable as a regular gardening operation.

Growing Grain at High Altitudes.

From the Idaho Democrat.

Many of our citizens are inclined to be skeptical in regard to raising grain and fruit on the high valleys in our territory. For the benefit of such, we give the altitudes of several points at which the matter has been tested: Ogden, Utah, 4300 feet; Franklin, Idaho, 4400; Logan, Utah, 4400. Cache valley, Utah, is one of the best valleys in all this country for wheat and other grains, also for vegetables, and it lies on average, over 4000 feet above the sea level. Great Canyon, Idaho, lies 4000 feet; Wood River, 3800; Little Salmon valley, 3500; Upper Waiyer, 3000; Lone valley, on the Payette, 2700; this valley is 50 miles long, and from 4 to 15 miles wide. Boise City, 2800. Of course these figures are not exact, but will be found more than 100 feet either way from what an exact report would be.

No-hum, a Missouri wife murderer, attempted to kill himself by cutting his throat, but failed. He completed suicide by going five days without food.

The body of a Jew has been cremated at Gusha in Germany, where the practice is becoming common, under influential encouragement.

## The Fastest Mile Ever Trotted.

From the New York Sun of August 11.  
The week wound up with the greatest victory over trotting time ever made in the world. John Murphy drove Edwin Forrest one mile on the three-quarter track on Mr. Bonner's farm, near Tarrytown, to sulky, in the unprecedented time of 2:11 1/4.

An experienced and intelligent judge of trotting horses said some time ago that he should not be surprised at Edwin Forrest's going in 2:06 before the season is over.

We are glad that Mr. Robert Bonner, the owner of the trotting phenomenon, has concluded to give a public exhibition of his speed. This is a very sensible determination. Thousands of people will flock to witness the performance, and if a reasonable fee were charged for admittance the proceeds would be sufficient to build a comfortable country church.

## The Fastest Trotting on Record.

ROCHESTER, Aug. 11.—Thomas Wallace's brown gelding Darby of New York is reported this evening as having trotted a quarter of a mile this forenoon in 30 3/4 seconds, the best time on record. He was driven for a trial heat, and sent by Dan Mace for all he was worth. Two gentlemen interested in turf matters, one of them a representative of the Turf, Field and Farm, held stop watches for the fourth quarter mile, when it was understood the homestretch favorite would be speeded. One of them timed him at 30 3/4, the other making it 30 1/2. To give the record the benefit of the doubt, the outside figures were recorded. Darby is 7 years old, 15 1/2 hands high, and won the 2:18 race at both Cleveland and Buffalo this season—the former in 2:18, and the latter in 2:18 1/4.

## New Patents.

Dewey & Co.'s Scientific Press Patent Agency has received official notice of the issue of the following patents to Pacific coast inventors, for the week ending August 13, 1879: 218,311, R. Y. Anderson, Santa Clara, Cal., safety attachment for chains; 218,164, Geo. W. Corey, Chayenne, Wyoming Ter., catarrh apparatus; 218,173, B. Harris, S. F., harrow; 218,330, J. Hesse, S. F., carpet sewing machine, (re-issue); 218,127, G. McCann, Corvallis, Ogn., grubbing machine; 218,281, T. Labree, Castroville, Cal., potato cutter and dropper.

Six young women are spending August in six tents, near Northwood, N. H. Only one man is tolerated in the camp, and he is a servant. For diversion, they fish, row, ride, shoot at a mark, play games, read, sing, and frolic. The camp is called Gumpington, and each of the party is "Gump 1," or "Gump 2," and so on.

## Dr. Mintie's Nephreticum.

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Oshara & Shoemaker, Agents.

Isaac Barnett has a clearance sale of Summer goods, Groceries, Pique's, Lawns, at bottom figures. Domestic goods, Carpets, and Oilcloth, sold cheaper than the cheapest at Isaac Barnett's. July 18

Call and price our goods. We have marked down our entire stock to make room for our Fall Importations. A. STEINBERGER & CO., (late Grey & Isaacs). aug17

S. N. Davidson does the best work in town. Satisfaction guaranteed or money returned. To be found two doors west of the postoffice. Jan3

The ladies of Reno and vicinity are invited to call and see the Large and Splendid assortment of Toilet and Fancy articles just received from New York by Osburn & Shoemaker, which they are selling at greatly reduced prices. aug17

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## Fire Insurance.

Now is the time to insure. Hot days and windy weather are favorable to fires. The prudent business man will never be without the means of giving additional security to his business. L. S. Burdick is the agent for the following several Risk Insurance Companies: The National, of San Francisco; The Atlas, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Commonwealth, of Boston; Standard, of New Zealand; Lycoming, of Pa.; General, of Boston, and Scottish Commercial, of Glasgow. He will promptly attend to all business entrusted to him, and respectfully solicits public patronage. July 10

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## A Card.

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## WHISKEY AND THE INDIANS.

The coincidence of two great minds simultaneously working in the same channel, and giving utterance to the same thought, is often remarked. Recently Spotted Tail addressed a letter to the Interior Department, which contained these words:

"I want to tell you these last words: I have had enough of the military, I want my people to work. I have had my belly full."

"Since we have been here my people have had no whiskey. Wherever the military are there is always whiskey, and that makes trouble."

That is good sound sense and wisdom. There is practical Indian statesmanship.

At Winnemucca day before yesterday Naches made a speech to the assembled Indians, in which he bitterly denounced whiskey as the curse of his tribe and threatened summary punishment to any white man who should hereafter sell firewater to his people.

Thus Spotted Tail and Naches have declared themselves. And they are right. There might be hope for the Indian without whiskey. With whiskey his destruction is sure.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Appeal says that enough copies of "Sagebrush Leaves" will be received this week to supply all of the Carson subscribers. Reno subscribers will probably not get their books for a month yet. A new edition is being issued, and every home in Nevada should be furnished with a copy of the work, in memory of one of the brightest writers that ever trod the soil of Nevada. A fine biographical sketch of Harry R. Mighels appeared in the last number of the Argonaut, from the pen of Sam. Davis. Davis, whose literary ability is of a high order, has made this character sketch one of exceeding interest, even to the reader that never saw Mighels.

The Yankee Fork Herald comes along this week looking as yellow as the sickest man in Memphis. As the Herald had formerly been printed on pure white paper, we feared it must have got in sore distress. The editor thus calmly explains why his ideas are committed to wrapping paper and even works in a local puff: "Our paper is a little off in color this week. It is the best we could do. We have paper on the road somewhere that should have been here long ago. We got this of Baggis & Shoup. They keep everything."

The editor of the Portland (Oregon) Standard, up in lumber and bulls, but off on mining, remarked in a complimentary way that "the mines of Yankee Fork, Idaho, produce ore that pays to haul thirty miles." This seems like damning with faint praise to the editor of the Y. F. Herald, who brags that the ore is packed over thirty miles to a wagon road, then hauled nearly 200 miles to a railroad, and from there carried to Salt Lake or Omaha, and after all this the profits are astonishing.

The citizens of Custer, Idaho, are still at the Chinese question. They want to allow a Chinaman to settle within the city limits. The following is a clause of their agreement:

"We, the undersigned, citizens and property holders of Custer, do mutually agree that we will not recognize as a citizen of our town ANY white man owning town lots or property in the town of Custer, who will sell, barter, or deed the same to any Chinaman, as we are determined they shall not settle among us."

Americans are apt to forget that Indians have rights that whites should respect. We stole this country from the Indians, and should keep the theft in mind. Indian nature may be bad, but it is human nature still. The earth is the Indian's natural heritage as it is the white man's. Both are born with the right to travel over it in freedom. In dealing with Indians, expediency has to be the rule of action, but all legislation should be made with these principles in view.

The Chicago Field comes to hand this week adorned with a new and handsome head. The two landscape views which the head includes are so attractive that the sight of them makes one long to take his rod and gun and get out of town at once. The Field has just commenced its twelfth volume, is constantly improving and today has no superior as a sportsman's paper.

The Austin Reville suggests the employment of carrier pigeons to convey the stock and press reports. It can be done, the Reville thinks, at an expense of \$15 per day. Pigeons are now occasionally used to carry news from Virginia to Austin.

A correspondent of the Sacramento Bee, writing from Rocklin after the recent fire, makes these sensible observations:

"One thing in connection with fires is surprising, and that is that so little use is made of earth as a means of check. Men will pour barrels and barrels of water upon comparatively flat roofs, and see it run off and evaporate in a few moments as though it were oil instead of water, when, with half the quantity of dirt laid on, the heat would be checked and no spark could ignite, and even if it burned from within, the heat would be kept down so that men could work near it. From personal observation I know that whenever dirt can be used, a few sacks are worth scores of barrels of water."

An agency has been established in Philadelphia for the employment of Dutch girls from the Buckwheat counties of Pennsylvania in household service. The girls are neat, tidy and industrious. The parents are often rich, and allow their daughters to go in order that they may be thoroughly trained in a way that will make them competent housekeepers and good wives when they marry. The girls are received with high honors on their return home. Often young girls meet them at the trains and crown them with flowers. Dances and feasts are given in their honor sometimes.

Says the Virginia Chronicle: "Knickerbocker Engine, No. 5, which was sold to the Saffro Fire Company yesterday, brought \$300. It originally cost \$4,500, having been made to order in Marysville. There are two or three more hand engines in the city which might do service in small towns." Tuscarora should not miss her opportunity. The Metropolis of the North could worry along with a second-hand engine yet awhile.

A discouraging report comes from John Brown Jr., son of old Ossawatimie, in regard to the negro colonies. He says they must receive aid or starvation will ensue. He advises negroes not to come there without means to subsist on for a year.

A German magazine has been started in Jerusalem, to be issued every quarter. The population of the holy city is becoming largely Teutonic.

The mail from Reno to Bodie must be very irregular, judging from complaints of our subscribers.

Bret Hart's new California story "The Twins of Table Mountain" is in press at London.

## PACIFIC COAST ITEMS.

Wheat is worth 85 cents per bushel at Oregon City.

The total number of registered voters in San Francisco is 45,335.

On the trail to Idaho City Wm. Kullman's horse took fright, reared and fell, crushing his rider to death.

Patton Ellis has discovered a tin mine near the summit of the Sierra and 75 miles from Fresno, which promises to be very rich.

Diphtheria is raging with considerable virulence at Mayfield. In one family four cases are reported and one each in several other families.

Custer, Idaho, is making rapid strides in advancement, but, like Bonanza, is kept back through lack of lumber and building material. There are about seventy-five houses in the town, including those now building.

About two weeks ago, says the Silver Reef Miner, while in the act of putting on his coat, Justice Kiv Phillips was stung on the back of his left hand by a scorpion, which had taken up its quarters in the sleeve of his coat.

The tramp in Marin county, supposed to be the murderer of the Pocerivido child, was traced to Point Reyes, where he disappeared. His trail was marked by dead dogs and a horse, all of which animals had been stabbed with a poisoned dagger.

Lambert, who is under arrest at Folsom, charged with the murder of his wife, attempted suicide by cutting his throat yesterday morning, but failed. He severed an artery but will probably recover. Lambert earnestly denied his guilt, and said he did not want to live after his wife's death.

Yesterday, at San Francisco, Judge Wheeler made an order adding the estate of W. S. O'Brien to the defendants in the suit of Burke vs. Flood et al., to recover the sum of \$10,500,000. The estate will come up for distribution in the probate court on the 29th instant but this order will have the effect to tie it up for the present.

The Silver Reef Miner says the favorite amusement of the wicked Silver Reef youths is to bait hooks with nut kernels and fish for ground squirrels. It's lots of fun for the boys to watch the cunning little fellow, seat himself on the lower end of its back, and contemplate the bait, but it's death to the squirrel if he makes a dash at the nut and gets the cruel hook in his jaws.

Edward Patterson, on the road near Carson, last Sunday evening, met a skinny, lean-faced villain who insisted on his stopping to talk. Patterson drew his pistol, but the stranger fired first, missing his man. Patterson fired, the robber groined and fled.

## STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Carson has a gang of young hoodlums. The Haverly's cleared \$500 in Eureka.

Shoshones are busily gathering pine nuts in Nye county.

Women full of wine and the devil howl on Carson streets at night.

The Austin and Belmont stages will in future run by the way of Northumberland District.

Five years ago last Monday a flood carried 500 cords of wood down the main street of Austin in fifteen minutes.

Ada Walker, the girl bitten by a rattlesnake at Indiana Valley, ten days ago, has recovered, although her life was despaired of.

The Eureka Sentinel sings: "Oh, give me a bed on a chunk of ice. 'Way down in a thousand-foot well. For I'm sick of this hot, hot spell."

A Eureka man fired two charges of shot into a supposed burglar in the back yard and tore to pieces his wife's drawers that were hanging on the clothes line.

The Sentinel says: There is no likelihood that the Eureka Con. will cease paying dividends for a long time to come. Indeed we have reason to believe that the outlook of the mine is better to-day than for a year past.

John Frye, a young man of Winnemucca, was seen to wrap his overcoat around a stove and was adjudged insane by a commission. Had he wrapped the stove around his overcoat the act would have been more remarkable.

The Eureka Sentinel of Saturday morning says: The Sentinel is informed that the Richmond has discontinued the receipt of both coal and wood. This step would seem to indicate the closing down of the reduction works in the near future. Such a course must necessarily tell heavily against the prosperity of the community.

Henry Baglin of Crown Point Ravine, killed a rattlesnake three and a half feet long in front of his gate last evening about dusk says the Gold Hill News. He was out fixing his fence when Mrs. Ryno, and her sister passed by. As they were about to step on the reptile, which was August-bird, it rattled and then commenced striking out at them. No one was bitten.

The Chronicle says that Monday morning the son of Samuel Baker of this city had his left leg taken off, below the knee by the wood train coming up from Reno. He was acting as brakeman at the time, and leaning against one of the standards of a flat car. It broke, and falling off the car he went under the wheels, with the result above described. His injuries are not fatal, and he is doing well in Carson.

## THE CHARCOAL WAR.

Armed Resistance to the Sheriff at Eureka—Fight Between the Coalburners and the Officers—Five Killed and Many Wounded.

EUREKA, Aug. 19.—A Sheriff's posse attacked a coal ranch at Fish creek between sundown and dark last evening. Many shots were fired, and five Italians were killed and six badly wounded. Several prisoners were also taken.

EUREKA, Aug. 19.—8 P. M. A portion of the sheriff's posse has just returned from the scene of the Fish creek fight. They corroborate the statement hitherto telegraphed that the coal-burners opened the fight, firing the first shot. There were nine of the posse against 100 coal-burners, but not one half of the burners were armed. After the first volley from the officers the rioters fled precipitately. Three of them were killed outright, and two so badly injured that they expired in a few hours. Fourteen prisoners were taken, but only three were brought to town, as the rest were found to be unarmed. Deputy Sheriff Simpson was in the act of serving a warrant on one of the ringleaders when the conflict began. The officers claim that they were in a tight place, and were compelled to fight or be killed. There was no chance for retreat. The rioters were met on the road three-quarters of a mile from any coal camp. The officers do not believe that there were any wounded. The remains of the five dead men have just arrived. There is deep feeling among the Italian residents of Eureka and the surrounding country, but it is not believed by the cooler heads that there will be any further bloodshed. The Italian account of the tragedy, and how it was brought on, cannot be obtained in time for to-night.

## The Graveyard of Spain.

From the Boston Herald. An intelligent resident of Havana says that Cuba is the graveyard of Spain, and a more befitting name than "Pearl of the Antilles." In one cemetery near the capital 89,336 interments have been made within ten years, and in a neighboring burial ground over 10,000. Out of the Spanish garrison of 7,000 men twenty die every day, or a whole battalion every month.

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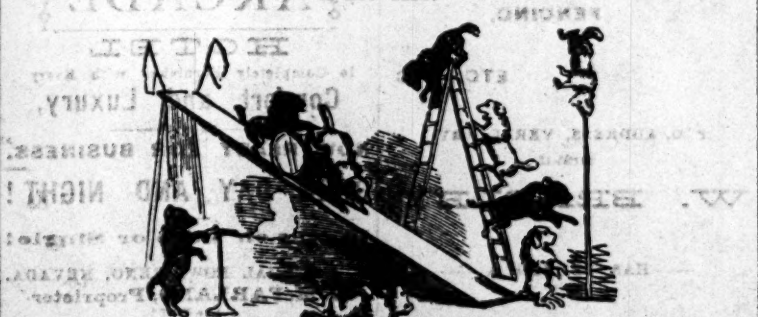


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MONDAY—FIRST DAY:

No. 1—Stakes for 2-year olds, which have

never started in a race, \$25 each, \$10 forfeit,

\$100 added, five furlongs.

No. 2—Purse, \$150; \$125 to first, \$25 to sec-

ond; three-quarters of a mile.

No. 3—Ballotine Stakes; for thoroughbred

2-year olds, \$100 each, \$25 forfeit; dash of

one and a half miles; entrance \$50. Any filly

that has previously won a race shall carry five

pounds extra, and any filly that has won two

times shall carry ten pounds extra. Second

filly to save entrance.

No. 4—Purse, \$250; \$150 to first, \$70 to sec-

ond, \$20 to third; heats of a mile, free for all,

\$100 added; one mile; first horse \$25, second

\$100 added; one and a quarter miles

over five hurdles; three feet six inches high;

weight weights.

TUESDAY—SECOND DAY:

No. 5—Trotting—2:30 class; free for all

horses in Nevada, also for all horses from

Sierra, Lassen, Plumas and Yuba counties,

California, and Grant and Lake counties, Ore-

gon; three in five; purse, \$300; first horse

\$300, second horse \$100.

No. 7—Trotting; free for all; three miles

and repeat; purse, \$500; first horse \$300,

second horse \$125, third horse \$75.

WEDNESDAY—THIRD DAY:

No. 8—Stakes for all 2-year olds; three-

quarters of a mile; \$50 each; \$25 forfeit; \$100

added.

No. 9—Stakes free for all carrying 100 pounds;

\$25 p. p.; \$150 added; one and one-eighth

miles.

No. 10—Dash of a half mile, free for all

horses in Nevada and Counties named in Cal-

ifornia and Oregon. Purses, \$150; first horse

\$100, second horse \$50.

No. 11—Stakes of \$25 each p. p., gold medal

in the cup, one mile; five-eighths

riders, weight 160 lbs. The riders must be

members of the State Agricultural Society, of

the Pacific Coast Horse Association, or of

some regular Jockey Club, and no one who

makes a business of training horses, or who

has ever ridden out for money or is engaged

in the employment of training in any cap-

acity, will be eligible. Nominations must be

made in the name of the person who is to

ride the horse named to the Secretary on

Monday, the first day of the Fair.

No. 12—Hurdle race, purse, \$200; first

horse \$125, second \$50, third \$25; heats of a

mile; winner of the hurdle race on the first

day to carry 15 pounds extra, the second five

pounds extra; weight weights.

NEVADA CUP.

No. 13—Hurdle Sweepstakes, \$50 each;

\$25 forfeit; \$30 declared; \$300 added; two

and a quarter miles; second horse to receive

\$100, third horse \$50. Weights announced

August 15th, declaration to be made Sep-

tember 1st.

THURSDAY—FOURTH DAY:

No. 14—Trotting; mile and repeat; free for

all 3-year olds in Nevada and counties above

named in California and Oregon; purse \$400;

first horse \$250, second horse \$100, third

horse \$50.

No. 15—Trotting; 2:35 class; free for all;

best three in five; purse, \$300; first horse

\$400, second horse \$200.

No. 16—Trotting; five miles out; free for

all; purse, \$400; first horse \$250, second

horse \$150.

FRIEDAY—FIFTH DAY:

No. 17—Stakes for 2-year olds; dash of a

mile; \$50 each; \$25 forfeit; \$100 added. The

winner of the 2-year old race on Wednesday

to carry 7 lbs. the second in that race 5 lbs.

and the third 3 lbs. The stakes will be weight.

No. 18—Free handicap; purse, \$150; \$100 to

first, \$30 to second, \$20 to third; one and three-

quarters mile; and to be made August 1st;

weights announced August 15th.

No. 19—Stakes for 3-year olds; \$50 each; \$25

forfeit; \$200 added; one and five-eighths

miles. The winner of Wednesday's race to

carry 7 lbs., the second in that race 5 lbs. and

the third 3 lbs. Those who have been beaten

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for Monday's races on the Saturday preced-

ing, and for Wednesday's races on the Friday

preceding. Those who have been beaten in

stakes must name to the Secretary in writing,

which they will start the day before the race

at 4 P. M. Horses entered in stakes can only

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The rules of the Pacific Wood Horse Asso-

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